1	2	3
44.	Koderma	51
45.	Chatra	76
46.	Giridih	174
47.	West Singhbhum	174
48.	East Singhbhum	110
49.	Ranchi	251
50.	Gumla	168
51.	Lohardaga	61
52.	Dhanbad	69
53.	Bokaro	93
54.	Rohtas	159
55.	Babhua	65
	Total	8254

Statement-II

Speed Post Centres on National Network

(i) Patna

(ii) Ranchi

(iii) Jamshedpur

(iv) Dhanbad

Speed Post Centres on point to point service

Sl. No.	Name of Centres	Linked to Cities	Vice Versa of Single
1	2	3	4
1.	Patna	Darbhanga	Vice Versa
2.	-do-	Katihar	-do-
3.	-do-	Begusarai	-do-
4.	-do-	Motihari	-do-
5.	-do-	Purnea	-do-
6.	-do-	Bettiah	-do-
7.	-do-	Munger	-do-
8.	-do-	Giridih	-do-
9.	-do-	B.S. City	-do-
10.	-do-	Gaya	-do-
11.	-do-	Siwan	-do-
12.	-do-	Bhagalpur	-do-
13.	-do-	Muzaffarpur	-do-
14.	Giridih	Calcutta	-do-
15.	B.S. City	Calcutta	-do-
16.	B.S. City	Dhanbad	-do-
17	-do-	Ranchi	-do-
18.	Patna	Arah	-do-
19.	Patna	Jahanabad	-do-

Linking of Srinagar with Rail

6294. SHRI A.G.S. RAM BABU: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to link Srinagar in the railway map;

(b) if so details and the present status of the said project; and

(c) the estimated number of tunnels and bridges to pass through in it?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS: (SHRI SATPAL MAHARAJ): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Udhampur-Srinagar-Baramula new line project (290 kms.) has been sanctioned in 1994-95 at an estimated cost of Rs. 1900.00 crores. CCEA had accorded its 'in principle' approval for implementation of this project in phases. The work of first phase between Udhampur and Katra has been taken up for which Rs. 75.00 crores have been allocated during 1997-98. Final Location Survey from Katra to Baramula has been taken up by the Railway.

(c) About 81 Nos. of tunnels and 223 Nos. of bridges.

Loss Suffered by the Telecom Department

6295. SHRI THAWAR CHAND GEHLOT: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) the extent of loss suffered by communication department due to the theft of cable and other departments equipment during 1994-95, 1995-96 and 1996-97 and till date;

(b) the number of reports of theft lodged by the department in this regard during the said period; and

(c) the steps being taken by the department to check such incidents?

THE MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI BENI PRASAD VARMA): (a) to (c) The information is being collected and will laid on the Table of the House.